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Applicant: Robert M. Moriarty et al.

Title: PROCESS FOR  
STEREOSELECTIVE  
SYNTHESIS OF  
PROSTACYCLIN  
DERIVATIVES

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**CONTINUING PATENT APPLICATION**  
**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is a:

Continuation     Division     Continuation-In-Part (CIP)

of the above-identified copending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

Copy of as-filed Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (29 pages).

Copy executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages).

Information Disclosure Statement. (2 pgs.)

Form SB-08 copied from Parent 09/754,0107 (2 pgs.)

Preliminary Amendment (10 pgs.)

Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (3 pgs.)

The filing fee is calculated below:

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Basic Fee				\$750.00	\$750.00
Total Claims:	4	- 20	= 0	x \$18.00	= \$0.00
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